

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP, US, FR  
SUBJ: US-FRENCH PLANNING TALKS

REF: STATE 103313

1. REFTEL REQUESTED EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS FOR NEXT  
ROUND OF PLANNING TALKS TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON ON  
SEPTEMBER 25. WE BELIEVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS SHOULD  
BE ON THE AGENDA:

--DISARMAMENT/ARMS CONTROL, PARTICULARLY STATUS  
AND CHANCES OF SALT III, AND FRENCH DISARMAMENT INITIA-  
TIVE.

--AFRICA: ROLE OF WESTERN POWERS AND SOVIET/CUBAN  
INVOLVEMENT.

--NON-PROLIFERATION.

--EAST-WEST RELATIONS AND HOW RELATIONS WITH THE  
PRC AFFECTS THESE.

--AFTERMATH OF THE BONN SUMMIT.

2. IN RECENT CONVERSATION IN PARIS WITH S/P MEMBER  
WALKER, FRENCH S/P DEPUTY DIRECTOR GERGORIN SUGGESTED  
DISCUSSION OF SOVIET SUCCESSION. WE DOUBT THAT THIS  
WOULD BE VERY PRODUCTIVE IN VIEW OF FRENCH PLANNERS'  
LACK OF EXPERTISE. THEY WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY WELCOME  
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A CHANCE FOR TALK WITH MARSHALL SHULMAN ON THIS ISSUE,  
HOWEVER.  
HARTMAN

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